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Rome, Jan. 19. 1735.

SIR,

LAST Night about five o'Clock in the Evening, the Chevalier de St. George's Conſort, departed this Life. She was born at Ohlaw in Sileſia, on the 17th of July 1701. Her Parents were James Lewis Sobieski, eldeſt Son to King John of Poland (who immortalized his Name by the Relief of Vienna) and Elizabeth of Newbourg, Siſter to the late Empreſs, the late Queen of Portugal, the Queen Dowager of Spain, and the old Dutcheſs of Parma; ſo that this Princeſs was nearly related to ſeveral of the greateſt Houſes in Europe. Yet her Birth, great as it was, was far outſoined by her Exemplary Virtue, Charity and Piety. She had given ſuch Proofs of theſe during her long abode in this City, that the Affection, Reſpect and Veneration, which Perſons of all Ranks and Parties had for her, are beyond Expreſſion, as well as their Grief for the Loſs of ſo incomparable a Perſon. Her Behaviour, during her Sickneſs, was a perfect Model both of Devotion and Fortitude, having never ſhewed the leaſt Apprehenſion of Death, nor ever expreſſed more Eaſe and Quiet of Mind, than when ſhe was the moſt ſeriouſly preparing for it. This Court has paid her all imaginable Reſpect: Opera's, and other Diverſions, have been ſuſpended, as well as the Illuminations, and other Rejoycings, on the Promotion of a new Cardinal. The ſame publick Prayers and Devotions were ordered, which are uſually practiſed when the Pope himſelf is breathing his laſt; but the People were obſerved to flock to them in greater Numbers, and with much more Fervour. Her Funeral we hear is to be ſolemnized on the ſame Model of what was done for Chriſtiana, Queen of Sweden, but with ſome additional Honours, for Reaſons too obvious to need being mentioned. She was married to the Chevalier, September 1, 1719. N. S. and by him had two Sons, Charles born December 31, 1720. & Hen. born March 6, 1725.

LONDON, *Feb.* 5.

Twelve Thouſand Recruits paſſed thro' Dreſden the 31ſt paſt going to Poland, whither a large Sum of Money is to be ſent from Leipſick; and they are coining a large Quantity of Gold and ſilver Medals to be diſtributed among the Grandees of Poland, after the Dyet of Pacification is ended; and 'tis added, that the Saxon Troops deſigned to form a Camp on the Side of Eger, were marching thither for that Purpoſe.

Some Troops of Holſtein and Swartzenburg having poſſeſſed all the Avenues of the City of Schwerin, and having ſummon'd the Governor of the Place, in the Name of his Imperial Majeſty, to receive Part of thoſe Troops to remain in Garriſon there, Duke Charles Leopold had anſwered, that he was reſolv'd to defend it to the laſt extremity.

They talk at Paris, the ſmall hopes they have of ſeeing a Peace concluded this Year, puts them upon labouring with all poſſible Diligence in the warlike Preparations for continuing with Succeſs their Progreſs in Germany and Italy.

At Mentz they ſay, that ſince the French took Winter Quarters at Strasburg, no leſs than 12583 Soldiers and Inhabitants have died there. At Worms the Sickneſs among the Garriſon is diminiſhed, but not at Landau or Meiſſenheim, where many Companies are diminiſhed to 7 or 8 Men each, and whole Families are carried off, ſo that theſe Places are greatly depopulated. The Reaſon given for the Mortality among the Soldiers, is the Hardſhips they ſuſtained laſt Campaign, being obliged for want of Straw, to lie in their Tents on the cold bare Ground.

CHARLESTOWN, *May* 3.

This Week arrived here Capt. Matthew Turpin, Maſter of the Sloop Sweet Nelly, he ſailed from Barbadoes the 8th of February laſt, bound to Taltitugos, and being left behind one Day after the Taltitugos Fleet, which was convoy'd from Barbadoes by Capt. Brand, Commander of a 50 Gun Ship; he was ſurprized and taken the 16th of the ſame Month off the Mageretoures by a Spaniſh Sloop mounted with 6 Carriage Guns, and 4 Swivels, having more at command upon occaſion; they took Capt. Turpin and his Crew on board their Sloop, gave him the Welcome with the broad ſide of their Cutlaſſes, confined

fined and barr'd them down in the Hold and treated them very inhumanely. The Port they were bound to, as far as Capt. Turpin could learn, was Porto Rico, but his Sloop being very light and not able to carry a ſtiff Sail, they could not fetch it, and beating up ſhore along the Coaſt of Hiſpaniola till all their Proviſions and Water was gone, they were obliged to put in on the Weſt-end of Hiſpaniola at a Place called the Orcanes, where the chief Commanders went a ſhore to ſupply themſelves among the French inhabiting that Place; but a French Commander, who was taken by the ſame Villains 8 Months before, happened to meet them, ſecured thoſe that were on ſhore, and ſent to examine the Sloop, where finding Capt. Turpin and his Crew confin'd in the Hold, carried them aſhore to have them examin'd how they came thither, and after having been made ſenſible of their Misfortune, they in Company with the French Commander were admitted to ſwear Piracy againſt the Spaniards, who were committed to Goal to receive their juſt Puniſhment, and Capt. Turpin with his Sloop ſet at Liberty the 12th of April laſt.

New-York, May 19. *On the 12th Inſtant Capt. Holloway, in a Brigantine, arrived here from Holland, who ſailed from Dover the 20th Day of March laſt, by whom we have Advice, that the States-General have Ordered 150,000 ſmall Arms to be got ready, ſeveral of their Ships of War to be repaired and fitted for Uſe, in Caſe of Neceſſity; that the Dutch were coming into the Meaſures of Great Britain; and that a warm Preſs for Sailors on our Inward bound Veſſels in England ſtill continues.*

The ſame Day arrived Capt. Teach from Madeira, with Advice, that there is like to be a Rupture between the Kings of Spain and Portugal, they having confined each others Ambaſſadors, as well as impriſoned their Domeſticks, occaſioned as it is ſaid by the King of Portugal's ſupplying the Emperor with Money.

A Letter from thence of the 6th of April, N. S. gives the following Account, viz. The Portugueſe Gazette mentions, Great Britain being more ſtrenuous than ever with the Spaniards for Satisfaction for the Depredations, committed on their Shipping in the Weſt-Indies by the Spaniſh Guard la Coſts, &c. That the Spaniards require, the Britiſh Agents ſhould return to Spain on that Affair; and for Anſwer have been told, Great Britain has already been at too great an Expence on that Affair, and that Spain may ſend her Agents to England; That Great Britain alſo Demands the Demolition of that Wall, or Fortification which annoys Gibraltar.

That the Portugueſe and Spaniards have differed, but what will be the Conſequence, Time will Diſcover; the Portugueſe Ambaſſador, Reſident in Spain, being abroad, and the Juſtice having apprehended a Delinquent, and paſſing by the ſaid Ambaſſador's Door, his Servants reſcued the Delinquent and took him out of the Hands of the Juſtice, upon which all his Servants were impriſoned and the Ambaſſador not heard; the King of Portugal being acquainted with the Truth, has treated the Spaniſh Ambaſſador in Portugal, juſt in the ſame Manner.

On the 16th arrived here Capt. Skinner from Holland, and laſt from Teneriff, and on the 18th arrived Capt. Waters from Holland, who ſailed from Dover the 24th of March, but has not brought any publick News Papers, he ſays the Preſs for Seamen continues; yet it is hoped it will be Peace.

A Sloop arrived here the 15th Inſt. from South-Carolina, in five Days, with News of the Death of his Excellency Governor Johnſton of that Province.

Cuſtom-Houſe, New-York, May 19. Entred Inwards.

Smith from London, Holloway from Dover, Skinner from Teneriff Canary Iſland, Teach from Madera, Fowler from Coracoa, Garriſon from St. Thomas, Keinſtedt from Jamaica, Lightwood and Clark from S. Carolina.

Entred Out. Ratſey for Antigua, Kearny for Jamaica, Pruden for Coracoa, Beekman for Boſton, Collings for Amboy, Stephens and Smith for London, Eight for North-Carolina.

Cleared. Lawrence to Antigua, Hunt to Jamaica, Davis to Madera, Roſe to N. Carolina, Griffith to Boſton.

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.

This Morning about 11 o'Clock, Two Horſes belonging to a Porter of this Place, were ſtruck dead by the Lightning in the Fields, at the South-End of this City.

Sunday laſt in the violent Thunder Storm about 7 in the Evening, a Boat with five Servant-Men overſet about a Mile this ſide Glouceſter, four of them held by the Boat and Maſts for two Hours, till they drove againſt the Upper Part of this City, when their crying for Help was accidentally heard; the other a Servant belonging to Mr. Simon Edgel, was ſhook off by the Boat's ſhifting, and drowned.

Cuſtom-Houſe, Philadelphia, Entred In.

Husk from N. Carolina, Burchall from Barbadoes, Haskins from Antigua, Pidgeon from Surinam, Davis from Madeira, Urquhart from N. Carolina, Cooper from Antigua and St. Chriſtophers, Sandwith, from Maryland, Spafford from Barbadoes.

Entred Out. Lusk for S. Carolina, Berwick for Madeira, Husk for N. Carolina, Hillton for Jamaica, Ward for Barbados

Cleared. Ruſſel to Salem, Barter to S. Carolina, Lusk to Ditto.

Advertiſements.

LOST May the 17th, from one of the Stalls in the Fair, a Piece of dark green Half-yard Perſian, containing 27 Yards or thereabouts, marked on the End of the Stick that it was roll'd on, 2 s. 6 d. If any Perſon can give the Printer hereof, any Information of the ſaid Silk, ſo that it may be had again, ſhall have 20 s. Reward. If offered to Sale to any Perſon, they are deſired to ſtop the ſame; and they ſhall be ſatisfied for their Trouble, by Caleb Ranſtead.

RUN away the 16th of this Inſtant from Armſtrong Smith, *Shipwright, a Servant Man named* David Steadman, *an Iriſh man, very tall, with dark or black Hair, about 35 Years of age; had on when he went away a new Ozenbrigs Shirt, old Trouſers, a dirty old Duck Linnen Coat with mettal Buttons, and old grey yarn Stockings patcht with blue, an old Hat and old Shoes Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Servant, ſhall have* Twenty Shillings *Reward and reaſonable Charges, paid by* Armſtrong Smith.

STray'd or Stolen away from Matthew Cowley, *Skinner on* Society-Hill, *a bright bay Gelding between 12 and 13 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder with a C, on the off Ear a ſmall Slit, a bald Face, can both Pace and Trot. Whoever takes up the ſaid Horſe, and gives Notice to the above-mentioned* Matthew Cowley, *ſhall have* Forty Shillings *Reward, paid by* Matthew Cowley.

N. B. It is ſuppoſed he is ſtolen by Armſtrong Smith's Servant.

To be SOLD,

A LIKELY Servant Lad about 18 Years of age, by Trade a Shoemaker, having above a Year and Half to ſerve, at a reaſonable Price, by Tho. Powell.

To be SOLD,

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